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2013 CALIFORNIA GREEN BUILDING CODE (CGC) CHECKLIST FOR NEW NONRESIDENTIAL BUILDINGS

BUILDING PERMIT NO.: BLD20

ADDRESS:

MANDATORY
MEASURES
SPECIFIED
(Please check
boxes below)

Feature or Measure	Yes
SITE DEVELOPMENT (5.106)	
Storm water pollution control. Newly constructed projects which disturb less than one acre of land shall prevent the pollution of storm water runoff from the construction activities through local ordinance per CGC 5.106.1.1	<input type="checkbox"/>
Short-Term bicycle parking. If the project is anticipated to generate visitor traffic, provide permanently anchored bicycle racks within 200 feet of the visitors' entrance, readily visible to passers-by, for 5 percent of visitor motorized vehicle parking capacity, with a minimum of one two-bike capacity rack per CGC 5.106.4.1.	<input type="checkbox"/>
Long-Term bicycle parking. For buildings with over 10 tenant-occupants, provide secure bicycle parking for 5 percent of tenant-occupied motorized vehicle parking capacity, with a minimum of one space per CGC 5.106.4.2.	<input type="checkbox"/>
Designated parking. Provide designated parking for any combination of low-emitting, fuel-efficient and carpool/van pool vehicles as shown in Table 5.106.5.2. Parking stall marking shall comply with CGC 5.106.5.2.	<input type="checkbox"/>
Light pollution reduction. Outdoor lighting systems shall be designed and installed to comply with requirements in the <i>California Energy Code</i> and in compliance with CGC 5.106.8.	<input type="checkbox"/>
WATER EFFICIENCY AND CONSERVATION	
INDOOR WATER USE (CGC 5.303)	
Meters. Separate submeters or metering devices shall be installed for the uses described in Sections 503.1.1 and 503.1.2.	
Buildings in excess of 50,000 square feet. Separate submeters shall be installed as follows: 1. For each individual leased, rented or other tenant space within the building projected to consume more than 100 gal/day, including but not limited to, spaces used for laundry or cleaner, restaurant for food service, medical or dental office, laboratory or beauty salon or barber shop. 2. Where separate submeters for individual building tenants are unfeasible, for water supplied to the following subsystem: a. Makeup water for cooling towers where flow through is greater than 500 gpm. b. Makeup water for evaporative coolers greater than 6 gpm. c. Steam and hot-water boilers with energy input more than 500,000 Btu/h.	<input type="checkbox"/>
Excess consumption. A separate submeter or metering device shall be provided for any tenant within a building that is projected to consume more than 1,000 gal/day.	<input type="checkbox"/>
Water reduction. Plumbing fixtures shall meet the maximum flow rate value shown in Table 5.303.2.3 Exception. Buildings that demonstrate 20% overall water use reduction. In this case, a calculation demonstrating a 20% reduction in the building "water use baseline," as established in Table 5.303.2.2, shall be provided.	<input type="checkbox"/>
Water conserving plumbing fixtures and fittings. Plumbing fixtures (water closets and urinals) and fittings (faucets and showerheads) shall comply with the prescriptive reduced flow rates specified in CGC 5.303.3.1 through 5.303.3.3	<input type="checkbox"/>
Wastewater reduction. Each building shall reduce the generation of wastewater by one of the methods per CGC 5.303.4:	<input type="checkbox"/>
Standards for plumbing fixtures and fittings. Plumbing fixtures and fittings shall meet the applicable standards referenced in Table 1401.1 of the 2013 <i>California Plumbing Code</i> and in Chapter 6 of CGC	<input type="checkbox"/>
OUTDOOR WATER USE (CGC 5.304)	
Water budget. A water budget shall be developed for landscape irrigation use per CGC 5.304.1.	<input type="checkbox"/>
Outdoor potable water use. For new water service for landscaped areas between 1,000 square feet and 5,000 square feet, separate submeters or metering devices shall be installed for indoor and outdoor potable water use per CGC 5.304.2.	<input type="checkbox"/>

<p>Irrigation design. In new nonresidential projects with between 1,000 and 2,500 square feet of cumulative landscaped area (the level at which the MWELO applies), install irrigation controllers and sensors which include the following criteria and meet manufacturer's recommendations CGC 5.304.3.</p> <p>Irrigation controllers. Automatic irrigation system controllers installed at the time of final inspection shall comply with CGC 5.304.3.1</p>	<input type="checkbox"/>
WEATHER RESISTANCE AND MOISTURE MANAGEMENT (CGC 5.407)	
<p>Weather protection. Provide a weather-resistant exterior wall and foundation envelope as required by <i>California Building Code</i> Section 1403.2 and <i>California Energy Code</i> Section 150, manufacturer's installation instructions or local ordinance, whichever is more stringent.</p>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<p>Moisture control. Employ moisture control measures by the following methods;</p> <p>Sprinklers. Prevent irrigation spray on structures per CGC 5.407.2.1.</p> <p>Entries and openings. Design exterior entries and openings to prevent water intrusion into buildings per CGC 5.407.2.2.</p>	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
CONSTRUCTION WASTE REDUCTION, DISPOSAL AND RECYCLING (CGC 5.408)	
<p>Construction waste diversion. Comply with City of Santa Clara Construction and Demolition Debris Recycling Program</p>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<p>Verification of compliance. A copy of the completed waste management report shall be provided.</p>	<input type="checkbox"/>
BUILDING MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION (CGC 5.410)	
<p>Recycling by occupants. Provide readily accessible areas that serve the entire building and are identified for the depositing, storage and collection of nonhazardous materials for recycling per CGC 5.410.1</p>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<p>Commissioning. For new buildings 10,000 square feet and over, building commissioning for all building systems covered by T24, Part 6, process systems and renewable energy systems shall be included in the design and construction processes of the building project. Commissioning requirements shall include items listed in Section 5.410.2.</p> <p>Commissioning report. A report of commissioning process activities undertaken through the design and construction phases of the building project shall be completed and provided to the owner or representative.</p>	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
<p>Testing and adjusting. Testing and adjusting of systems shall be required for buildings less than 10,000 square feet per CGC 5.410.4.</p> <p>Operation and maintenance manual. Provide the building owner with detailed operating and maintenance instructions and copies of guaranties/warranties for each system prior to final inspection per CBC 5.410.4.5.</p> <p>Inspections and reports. Include a copy of all inspection verifications and reports required by the enforcing agency.</p>	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY	
FIREPLACES (CGC 5.503)	
<p>Install only a direct-vent sealed-combustion gas or sealed wood-burning fireplace or a sealed woodstove or a pellet stove, and refer to residential requirements in the <i>California Energy Code</i>, Title 24, Part 6, Subchapter 7, Section 150.</p> <p>Woodstoves. Woodstoves and pellet stoves shall comply with US EPA Phase II emission limits.</p>	<input type="checkbox"/>
POLLUTANT CONTROL (CGC 5.504)	
<p>Temporary ventilation. The permanent HVAC system shall only be used during construction if necessary to condition the building within the required temperature range for material and equipment installation. If the HVAC system is used during construction, use return air filters with a MERV of 8, based on ASHRAE 52.2-1999, or an average efficiency of 30% based on ASHRAE 52.1-1992. Replace all filters immediately prior to occupancy (CGC 5.504.1.3)</p>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<p>Covering of duct openings and protection of mechanical equipment during construction. At the time of rough installation or during storage on the construction site and until final startup of the heating, cooling and ventilating equipment, all duct and other related air distribution component openings shall be covered with tape, plastic, sheet metal or other methods acceptable to the enforcing agency to reduce the amount of dust or debris which may collect in the system per CGC 5.504.3.</p>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<p>Finish material pollutant control. Finish materials shall comply with Sections 5.504.4.1 through 5.504.4.4.</p> <p>Adhesives, sealants and caulks. Adhesives, sealants and caulks used on the project shall meet the requirements of the standards listed in CGC 5.504.4.1.</p>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<p>Paints and coatings. Architectural paints and coatings shall comply with Table 5.504.4.3 unless more stringent local limits apply.</p> <p>Verification. Verification of compliance with this section shall be provided at the request of the enforcing agency.</p>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Carpet systems. All carpet installed in the building interior shall meet the testing and product requirements of one of the standards listed in Section 5.504.4.4.	<input type="checkbox"/>
Composite wood products. Hardwood plywood, particleboard and medium density fiberboard composite wood products used on the interior or exterior of the building shall meet the requirements for formaldehyde as specified in Table 5.504.4.5	<input type="checkbox"/>
Resilient flooring systems. Comply with the VOC-emission limits defined in the 2009 CHPS criteria and listed on its High Performance Products Database; products compliant with CHPS criteria certified under the Greenguard Children & Schools program; certified under the Resilient Floor Covering Institute FloorScore program; or meet California Department of Public Health 2010 Specifications. Verification of compliance. Documentation shall be provided verifying that resilient flooring materials meet the pollutant emission limits.	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
Filters. In mechanically ventilated buildings, provide regularly occupied areas of the building with air filtration media for outside and return air prior to occupancy that provides at least a MERV of 8. MERV 8 filters shall be installed after any flushed-out or testing and prior to occupancy, and recommendations for maintenance with filters of the same value shall be included in the operation and maintenance manual.	<input type="checkbox"/>
ENVIRONMENTAL COMFORT (CGC 5.507)	
Acoustical control. Employ building assemblies and components with STC values determined in accordance with ASTM E90 and ASTM E413 or OITC determined in accordance with ASTM E 1332, using either the prescriptive or performance method in Sections 5.507.4.1 or 5.507.4.2.	<input type="checkbox"/>
OUTDOOR AIR QUALITY (CGC 5.508)	
Ozone depletion and greenhouse gas reductions. Installation of HVAC, refrigeration and fire suppression equipment shall comply with Sections 5.508.1.1 or 5.508.1.2. Supermarket refrigerant leak reduction. New commercial refrigeration systems shall comply with Section 5.508.2 when installed in retail food stores 8,000 square feet or more condition area, and that utilize either refrigerated display cases, or walk-in coolers or freezers connected to remote compressor units or condensing units. The leak reduction measures apply to refrigeration systems containing high-global-warming potential (high-GWP) refrigerant with a GWP of 150 or greater.	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>

Responsible Designer's Declaration Statement I hereby certify that this project has been designed to meet the requirements of the 2013 California Green Building Standards Code.	Contractor Declaration Statement I hereby certify, as the builder or installer under permit listed herein, that this project will be constructed to meet the requirements of the California Green Building Standards Code.
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